

House Resolution 1270

By: Representatives Day of the 163rd, Neal of the 1st, Horne of the 71st, Frazier of the 123rd, Talton of the 145th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending police chiefs and other heads of law enforcement agencies in this state and
2 observing a day of recognition in their honor; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, in the State of Georgia, there are more than 565 police chiefs and heads of law
4 enforcement agencies who provide a critical service, managing approximately 35,000 sworn
5 peace officers; and

6 WHEREAS, one of many goals of the members of the Georgia Association of Chiefs of
7 Police is the preservation of life and property of Georgia citizens in a professional and ethical
8 manner; and

9 WHEREAS, from the time of their initial police chief training provided by the Georgia
10 Association of Chiefs of Police, each member has shown dedication to the protection of life
11 and property and continues to dedicate his or her services through cooperation with state,
12 county, and local governmental officials; and

13 WHEREAS, police chiefs and heads of law enforcement agencies of Georgia have
14 continuously supported efforts to elevate the standards and training of law enforcement
15 managers and have been instrumental in increasing the public's awareness of methods of
16 preservation of life and property; and

17 WHEREAS, March 11, 2008, is Police Chiefs and Heads of Law Enforcement Agencies
18 Recognition Day, and it is only fitting and proper that the police chiefs and heads of law
19 enforcement agencies of Georgia be recognized for their many personal sacrifices and
20 outstanding and courageous service to the people of this state.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
22 the members of this body commend each police chief and head of a law enforcement agency

1 in this state for his or her personal sacrifice and outstanding commitment to the people of this
2 state.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Police Chiefs and Heads of Law Enforcement Agencies
4 Recognition Day, March 11, 2008, is being observed in recognition and honor of all police
5 chiefs and heads of law enforcement agencies in the State of Georgia.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
7 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Police Chief Dwayne Orrick,
8 President of the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police, and Frank V. Rotondo, Executive
9 Director of the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police.